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PREPARE TO FIGHT RACE SEGREGATION

National Association for Advancement of Colored People Will Hold Meeting At Central Library Building, 14th and Olive Sts., Tuesday, February 16th.

The Association for the Advancement of Colored People will hold its regular meeting in the Assembly Hall, 2nd floor, Central Library, 14th and Olive Streets, Tuesday, February 16, at 8 P. M.

Every Negro who is opposed to segregation and who desires to join in the fight to defeat it is invited to come prepared to join. Membership fee, one dollar per year, payable in advance.

We can't win this fight without money. Your dollar will help. Every member must pay one dollar for 1915.

Public Library, second floor, Tuesday, February 16th, at 8 P. M. Membership fee may be mailed to Chas. H. Brown, Damas School.

Continues Tuckerman, Pres. S. B. W. Sec.

DON'T FORGET

The Academy Boys and Girls Club, 14th and Olive Sts., will give a "Dixie Rag" and "Grass" night, Tuesday evening, February 16, 1915. Ten valuable prizes awarded. Jesse J. Johnson, Master of Ceremonies.

Lincoln-Douglas Celebration At Central Baptist Church, Friday 12

There will be a joint celebration of Lincoln's and Douglas's birthdays at Central Baptist Church, Friday night, February 12. Everybody is welcome at this meeting.

Note—There will be some very important subjects discussed by prominent speakers relative to the welfare of the Negro. This is a fitting occasion for everyone to show his loyalty to himself and to his race.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Dr. Clair E. Ames, Secretary of the Church Federation, will be the speaker at the Y. M. C. A. meeting at Douglas Hall, at 3:30 Sunday, February 14. All men are invited to be present. Dr. Ames' subject will be "The Man's Art of Self-Defense." The Glee Club under Mr. Keeton meets every Monday night at the building. All men who have an interest in music are eligible to this club.

On last Sunday Dr. Kulp made a telling talk to a good number of men. On Thursday night, February 18, there will be a Glee-Club meeting. All members of the Association, at which time some plans for the advancement of the organization will be discussed.

Pythian Glee Band Meet Sunday

Monday afternoon at Pythian Hall the second of the series of band concerts under the management of Col. Hughes and the Pythian Glee Band. All who attended the concert last Sunday enjoyed themselves. The Old Folks' Band will have charge next Sunday.

PROGRAM

- Welcome Address Sergt. H. Lane
 - March: Semper Fidelis Sousa
 - Overture, Sunshine and Showers P. Haas Flauto
 - Waltz, Perfume of the Violets Water Roffe
 - Vol. Solo: Miss Lulu Brockenridge
 - Sextette from Locusts Ditty Donnell
 - Remarks, Mrs. Victoria Clay Hester
 - Piano Solo Miss Dorothy Hinton
 - Overture Haviland's Hott
 - Instrumental Trio, Sergt. Leroy Harris, Arville Harris, and soloists
 - Remarks Rev. B. C. Shaw
 - La Poloma Y. M. C. A. Band
 - Star and Stripes Forever Pythian Band
 - March, Stars and Stripes Forever Pythian Band
- Wm. C. Vassar, Sergt. L. Hawkins, Director. Master of Ceremonies, Col. Wm. H. Hughes, Commander.

DR. PENN TO SPEAK AT UNION MEMORIAL SUNDAY

Secretary of Freedman Aid and Southern Education Society to Appear Under Auspices of Temporary Local Branch.

The temporary organization of the graduates and former pupils of the Freedman Aid Schools in St. Louis will turn out in a body Sunday evening, February 14, 1915, to hear Dr. J. L. Garland Penn, the Secretary of the Freedman Aid and Southern Education Society. Dr. Penn will speak at Union Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Leffingwell Avenue and Pine Street. The meeting will begin at eight o'clock. The organization of graduates and former pupils will render a program in connection with Dr. Penn's address. Mrs. Beulah A. Water Day, Dr. J. E. Hurt and Atty. Geo. L. Vaughn will deliver addresses and a musical program under the direction of Mrs. Grace Carlton will be rendered. Dr. W. S. Graham will preside and the meeting will be in charge of a committee composed of Rev. B. F. Abbott, Mrs. Carttore and Dr. R. C. Haskell.

The temporary organization was perfected some months ago at the suggestion of Dr. Penn and will take on a permanent form during his coming visit. The organization is not denominational in any sense, although the Freedman Aid Schools are maintained by the Freedman Aid and Southern Education Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The purpose is to gather into one organization the graduates and former pupils of the Freedman Aid Schools in order to bring them into closer touch with each other and their respective schools, to enable the schools to keep track of their graduates and former pupils, to know what they are doing toward the uplift of the various communities in which they live and to give to and receive aid from them.

All former pupils and graduates of Freedman Aid Schools are earnestly requested to be present to hear Dr. Penn and to send in their names to the secretary, Atty. Geo. E. Vaughn, 2336 Market St.

Metropolitan Notes.

Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church in the Midst of a Great Revival

The Rev. J. W. Woods, D. D., the recent missionary from Africa, and the general missionary secretary of the A. M. E. Zion connection, is conducting the great revival at the Washington Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church.

Dr. Wood is a forceful gospel preacher, many people are flocking to him.

Dr. Shaw, the pastor, is enthusiastic in having many sinners brought to Christ to enter with them March 7 in their new church, Lucas and Gordon Aves.

Come and hear Dr. Wood in this revival. All are welcome.

The meeting will continue indefinitely. Large crowd every night.

THE LENTEN SEASON AT ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

In addition to the regular Sunday services, during Lent services will be held every Wednesday and Friday night at 8 o'clock. The Lenten cards will be ready for distribution next Sunday.

Rt. Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, Bishop of the Diocese of Missouri, will preach next Wednesday night, which is Ash Wednesday. Rev. Frederick Poole Johnson, Bishop Coadjutor, will preach in the last week of Lent.

Rev. Z. B. T. Phillips, rector of St. Peter's Church, Rev. Edmund Duckworth, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, Rev. Chas. P. Blair, rector of St. Philip's, and Rev. J. M. Jones, rector of Emmanuel Church, Webster Groves, are among the other preachers who will speak during Lent.

The general public is cordially and earnestly invited to attend these services.



REV. J. A. WINTERS

Rev. Winters, of Chicago, one of the most popular ministers that ever pastored here, closed a ten day series of sermons at Lane Tabernacle Monday night with a powerful sermon.

DR. POWELL NOTED SPEAKER AT CENTRAL BAPTIST

Interest is at white heat at the Central Baptist Church. The meetings have been going on for two weeks and many have already been converted. But on Wednesday, the tenth, Dr. A. C. Powell, of New York City, who is to be the evangelist for the next fifteen days, preached his first sermon to a large audience. Dr. Powell is one of the most powerful gospel preachers of the Baptist denomination. Sunday morning he will preach on "Saints in Caesar's Household." At night he will preach upon "Move or Die." In the afternoon at three o'clock of Sunday, the 15th, Dr. Powell will preach to women only on this theme, "The Moulding Influence of Women." Special attention is given to the song service. A chorus of fifty voices will lead the singing at the women's meeting.

Many Prominent Citizens Praise Provident Hospital

Argues, of Its Own Volition Interviews Former Patrons of Provident Hospital in Order to Get at First Hand the Work Being Done There.

Dr. T. A. Curtis, Dentist, 2336 Market St., said:

"For more than sixteen years a number of professional men and citizens have striven to establish and maintain the Provident Hospital as a hospital and training school in order that the sick of our race might be cared for by their own doctors and nurses. The maintenance of this hospital, as is the case with all similar institutions has been a most difficult task and has only been accomplished by untiring efforts and great sacrifice on the part of those who have had it in charge. Lack of confidence and indifference have made the task doubly hard."

"As a citizen and former member of the board of directors, I am able to speak of the honest efforts which have been made to establish and maintain the hospital and of the good faith exercised in managing its affairs. As a former patient, I can testify to the sympathetic and efficient care which its nurses give to all who go there for treatment. The Provident Hospital is a worthy institution and should have the support of every citizen of this city in the effort that is being made to keep its doors open during these stringent times."

Chas. Bradley, 904 Iron St., a well-known citizen of the south side, said:

"Much criticism against Provident Hospital, some malicious, and much through ignorance, almost prevented me from ever going there as a patient but out of confidence in my own people I went there and during my stay of over eight weeks the treatment is to be commended for the quality of service rendered me was of the very best. I regret very much to note that the 'Institution' is

MOVING PICTURE SHOW

Prof. H. Greer and Brother J. B. Greer have opened a moving picture show and vaudeville at Newport, Ill. Exhibit every Monday and Thursday nights during the winter season. Dancing after each show. Refreshments sold. At K. P. Hall. Every body welcome.

FURLANA-TANGO A MAGNIFICENT SOCIAL TRIUMPH

Spectacular Event at Coliseum Greatest in History of City. Civic League Secretary Declared It a Strong Evidence Against Segregation. The "Old Campaigner" Highly Praised. Mag. de Annual Affair.

By Herbert T. Meadows

No social function in the history of St. Louis ever surpassed the magnificent affair at the Coliseum last Monday night. More than 3,000 of our best citizens contributed to its success. Rodger Nash Baldwin Secretary of the Civic League, who represented the Mayor, in his speech said, "The style and deportment of the guests was a wonderful testimony against segregation. The gathering was a good evidence for universal brotherhood, and it was to be regretted that agitators of discrimination were not present to see the Negro as he really is. He is a noble, no Negro takes pride in its respectable occurrence, for every person who attended appeared and acted just as he is in everyday life—honorable and respectable." But collectively, Jas. W. Grant deserves lasting credit for bringing so many good citizens together in such an elegant fashion. So great a spectacle has never been witnessed before, and probably will not be again, until Mr. Grant, the King of Terapcho, calls his subjects together again. And he will do so; the inspiration will never die. I stood beside a policeman, at the door, watching the spectacular exhibition of rhythm and union in the grand old Coliseum. Mr. Grant's wonderful exhibition of dexterity skill, and heard him remark, "I can't understand these Negroes." I replied, "Neither can any one who opposes him. The poetic affair was a classic beauty from the first number of the grand concert to the last number of the dance program. Everything was perfect. It is the success of last Monday night that the 'Old Campaigner' has done more to prove the social status of the Negro than ever done before. It was a great undertaking and a debt of gratitude is owed to the new Orpheus Academy, where Mr. Grant will be found every Friday night."

Editor Argus Publishing Co., Dear Sir: We wish to express our appreciation of the high-class social affair, given at the Coliseum Monday evening, Feb. 8, 1915. Mr. J. A. Grant deserves all the praise that may be given him, and he ought to make it an annual affair. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis.

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AN APPRECIATION

A devoted wife and mother, a loving sister, a true friend, a valuable and helpful companion, a quiet but earnest worker in the church, a faithful servant of God, this in brief, is the story of the beautiful life and character of our friend, who has been called to that higher and better life, leaving those who are faithful to her memory. Mrs. Lancaster will be sadly missed by all those who knew her, but she will not soon be forgotten.

"To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die."

Carrie K. Bowles

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH

We are thankful to our many friends, contributors and members of the Busy Bee Club for the support they gave us in our rally. We wish to mention the splendid sermon delivered by Rev. Hadden Smith of New Hope Baptist Church, the beautiful selections by the choir, the solos, "Beautiful Land on High" by H. H. Greene and "Nearer My God I Feel" by Mrs. Altha M. Hill. The Busy Bees expect to give an entertainment in the near future.

CITIZENS HONOR AFRICAN PRINCE AT KEYSTONE

Smoker in Honor of Heir to African Throne Inspires Guests to Race Enthusiasm. Eloquent Speeches Made by Men of Business and Profession. Cafe Crowded to Doors.

The highest tide in race pride was reached in the flow of sentiment at the Keystone Cafe last Friday night. The occasion was a smoker given in honor of Prince Ulfranka Kaba Rega, of British East Africa. Around the large banquet table sat men of brains, men who do things. Major B. E. Watkins, toastmaster of the evening, constantly inspired the guests with bright gems of fervent eloquence. The beautiful little cafe was crowded to the doors and every utterance of the speaker was carefully and earnestly considered. Ralph A. Turner made a masterful welcome address which was responded to by Edward Smith, who was followed with enthusiasm and timely speeches by Wm. E. Officer, Dr. Scott, Richard A. Hudlin, Prof. I. Baker, and Dr. W. L. Vaughn. Dr. Gordon was unable to speak on account of a severe cold. It was at a late hour when his royal highness, the prince, was called upon but he did not speak. He was present for more than an hour with his most interesting display of wit, humor and philosophy. A beautiful luncheon of delicious viands, champagne, cigars and other refreshments were served. Manager Mill's efficient assistants gave excellent service and several charming numbers were rendered to the delight of all present. It was an evening that will long be remembered by those who took advantage of the treat.

Wednesday Night Dance Socials At Silver Grill

"Orpheus Luncheon" Also to be Served Every Friday Night From 12 to 3 p. m.

Pleasure seekers will again have the opportunity to enjoy Wednesday night dance socials at Silver Grill. The management has decided to serve this feature beginning with the first of the month. Music will be provided and special popular programs are being arranged for the occasion. Persons desiring may enjoy luncheon in advance and secure excursions. Dancing in the annex will be permitted from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. Servers can be given to chaba and other refreshments with the general patronage.

Another feature of the Grill's new service will be an Orpheus Luncheon to be served every Friday from midday until 4 p. m. for the accommodation of the New Orpheus Academy pupils. A special 25 cent menu will be offered. This week the fare will consist of chicken, tomatoes, peas, cream, cake, black coffee. This after dinner lunch also received its inspiration from the big success of the Furlana-Tango luncheon last Tuesday morning. The beautiful hall was crowded from midnight until 5 a. m. Among those who had reserved tables were Mr. Campbell and party of five, Mr. F. A. Douglas and party of four, Mr. Thomas and party of four, J. J. Allen and wife.

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AND LOCAL NOTES

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Mrs. Laura Carter of Los Angeles, Cal. is in the city for permanent residence with her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carter, 4311 Laclede.

Mr. Horatio and Mrs. Anna M. Cannon, 4208 Cote Brilliante, attended the ball at the Coliseum escorted by their brother, H. W. Cannon.

Mrs. Melrose Copnar, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eliza Bailey, 3454 Lawton.

Mrs. Estelle Williams, representative for the Argus, of Kinloch, Mo., departed on Saturday for an indefinite stay in Beirut, Wis. Her many friends were loath to give her up.

Melrose Art Club at the residence of Mrs. Anna Halm, 3203 Lawton Ave., February 4, after spending two hours embroidering was served with a dainty luncheon. The next meeting will be for February 19 at Mrs. Martin's, 3213 Lawton. Mrs. Bell Duval, president; Sallie King, secretary; Ora Jones, treasurer; Hester Cash, reporter.

Mrs. Rosa Cummings, 2927 Lucas, who has been ill, suffered a relapse.

Mrs. Alice Carth, of 4018 Cook Ave., accompanied by her sister Willie is spending the winter in Alabama for her health. She will return in March with her twin sister Mabel.

Mrs. Sallie M. Barrett, 2821 Laclede Ave., who has been very ill, improved at this time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Senter, 2622 Bernard St., are the proud parents of a baby girl born Monday, February 8.

FOR RENT: 4 rooms on second floor. House also for sale at a sacrifice. 4275 Cottage.

Mr. W. E. Abernathy, 4282 St. Louis Avenue, who recently underwent an operation, is improving nicely.

Mrs. E. Slaughter Gumble, the well-known beauty culturist has returned from Chicago where she and her husband were called on account of the death of Mr. Gumble's father who was buried in that city last week.

Friday afternoon, February 5, the doors of the hospitable home of one of St. Louis' oldest and highly respected German families, at 312 S. 14th St., were thrown open and the members of the past M. A. Matron's Council were given full sway. The afternoon was royally spent beneath their roof where such a warm and cordial welcome greeted each member on their arrival. This was done in a compliment to one of its members, Mrs. Maggie Hall. After the regular business of the council a three-course luncheon was served by dainty hands. Mrs. L. B. Smith, of 4427 Lucky St., will be hostess to the council Friday afternoon, March 5. Mrs. Annie B. Groves is president and Mrs. Viola Garrett Elgin, secretary.

FOUND

One pair curling irons, one pair white silk gloves, one white muff with black spots. Call 3131 Laclede.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Clay, of 821 Ewing Avenue, gave a dinner on Thursday, February 4, in honor of Rev. Maxwell and wife. Those present were Mrs. Rosa Turner, Mrs. Lydia Jordan, Mrs. Iola Green and Mrs. Martha Butler. All departed at a late hour declaring Mrs. Clay a charming hostess.

National Grand Master, Wm. H. Fields, A. U. K. and D. of A., left Thursday night for La Belle, Mo. to make a public address on Race Unity.

Miss Dancra W. Donnell, accountant and typist with The Recorder, Indianapolis, Ind., was a pleasant caller at the Argus office on Friday.

Mrs. Birdie Cook, 4508 West Pine, has returned from a visit to her brother in Topeka, Kan.

John H. Clark, formerly of this city, once proprietor of the Turf and Potters Exchange, died in Lexington, Ky., February 4. His death was a shock to his many friends.

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Sophronia King, 1347 Elliott

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Florence Howard, 2319a La Salle
John Solomon Jackson, 1347 Elliott

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Henry M. Porter, 2816 Lucas
Ethel E. Davis, 2816 Lucas
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Sanford King, 4173 Kirkwood, Mo.
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Willie Brown, 705 N. 14th
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Wall B. Crandall, 2715 S. Compton
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Dennis Mattox, 2318 Walnut
Mamie Loden, 2908 Lucas
Frank Mann, 4066 Finney
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Lacy Jackson, 2 E. St. Louis, Ill.
Robert Allen, 2908 Lucas, Ill.
Mrs. Carrie Garth, 2813 Market

GRANT-SMITH NUPTIALS
Miss Nell Grant, daughter of Jas. H. Grant, and Chas. A. Smith, of Illinois, were quietly married Saturday evening, February 4, at the residence of Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Williams, 2735 S. Compton. Rev. C. M. C. Mason officiating. No invitations were sent. Only the relatives and a few friends were present. The happy couple left for a honeymoon trip to California.

JOHNSON-MANN NUPTIALS

Mrs. Cornelia Johnson, of 4103 Finney, and Frank Mann, the popular barber, at 4066 Finney, were quietly wedded Monday, February 8.

POWELL-CLARK NUPTIALS

Mr. Howard Lewis Powell, of 4004 Cook Ave., and Miss Willie Mae Clark, of 4033 W. Belle, were quietly married on Wednesday evening, February 3. The marriage was quite a surprise to the many friends of the young lady. The Argus wishes the young couple many years of prosperity and a happy married life.

DON'T FORGET

The Academy Boys' and Girls' Grand Masquerade Carnival at Denzinger Hall, Mardi Gras night, Tuesday evening, February 16, 1915. Ten valuable prizes awarded. Jesse J. Johnson, Master of Ceremonies.

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The American Beauty Embroidery Club met at the residence of Miss Clara Northern, 6353 Minerva Ave. New officers were elected which resulted as follows: Mesdames J. W. Littlefield, president; F. Mitchell, vice-president; W. Coleman, secretary; L. Wyatt, assistant secretary; H. Douglas, Treasurer; A. Burton, Chaplain; C. T. Bryant, Reporter. Then the president was tendered a surprise from the club for the anniversary of one year past of a beautiful silver salad fork and spoon which was quite a surprise to her. The hostess served a delightful luncheon. The next meeting will be at the residence of Mrs. L. Scott, 2626 Lucas Ave., February 18. The instructor, Miss Craig, will be present. Mrs. J. W. Littlefield, President. Mrs. W. Coleman, secretary.

The Benevolent Order of Pullman Porters are giving their second annual banquet at Pythian Hall, 3137 Pine Street, Tuesday night, February 16. There are 160 porters that belong to this organization. Messrs. Robt. Eaton, L. Dunbar, J. H. Thompson, Jno. Thompson, Chas. Hopkins, Eugene Chandler, Jno. Hammond, T. A. Greenhaw and E. L. Pruitt, are working hard to make it a success. The plates will be \$1.00 a cover. Invitations at the Argus office.

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BOOKER WASHINGTON

TIM MOORE STARS IN BOOKER WASHINGTON SHOW

Ed F. Peet, grotesque dancer; Oavis and Goet, the Medicine Men; Harrison Stewart Players in "Smoky the Policeman," All Big Act, Renda Pictures, Zadora, and Big Price Contest, Special Features of the Week.

TIM MOORE is a whole big show by himself, at the Booker Washington, this week. His burlesque of Uncle Tom's Cabin is uproariously funny. Tim "makes up" before the audience, one side of him to represent Uncle Tom, the other Simon Legree. He plays all the characters, even the bloodhounds, except in the death scene, where MRS. MOORE, as Eva, is shown suspended above the stage, welcoming Uncle Tom to heaven. It's a great travesty and makes a vicious hit. Mrs. Moore scores a big hit singing the "Blues" and Tim repeats with "Let 'Em Alone." Their dialogue of the characteristic Moore style of absurdity and creates much merriment. They still remain on a high pinnacle of comedy, in a class by themselves.

THE HARRISON STEWART PLAYERS in their fourth and last week are presenting a lively comedy, entitled, "Smoky the Policeman." Stewart again plays the title role and scores a success. He permits himself to get "jammed up" on account of his fondness for women. The complications afford a continuous round of fun and end with "Smoky" arresting himself. Will A. Cooke, as the tramp, is well up to his ability as a fun maker and the ladies like in the act to a minute.

OAVIS AND GREER in a singing, dancing and talking act, get a lot of wholesome fun out of their work, especially their medical stunt. Davis does well in his song number and they close with a lively dance.

ED. F. PEET gets the approval of the audience with a good line of talk. His monologue, "Vote For Me," and his character imitations, filled with effervescent humor. His grotesque dancing goes big and is greeted with a storm of applause.

The Relax singing and talking pictures, showing every Monday night, are a big feature and enjoyed by everyone. "Zadora" is still drawing heavily on Friday night. "Money Talks in Oarktown," the second all-Negro comedy picture, with Bert Murphy, Florence McClain, Frank Montgomery, Jimmie Marshall and others in the cast, will be shown Saturday night, the 13th, only.

The three big contests, Ragtime Piano Playing on Wednesday nights, Buck and Wing Dancing on Thursdays, and Cake Walking on Saturdays, begin this week and should be one of this theater's biggest drawing cards.

"Hamhorne" Jones, the comedian, of Jones and Sutton, was operated on, in the hospital, Monday, and it will be necessary for this team to remain here a month. Jones is doing nicely.

Chas. Turpin was quite sick Monday night from promaine poisoning. Susie Sutton, the clever character comedienne, has changed her name to Suetette Sehon.

Chauncey Olcott, at the Olympic last week, sang Paul Lawrence Dunbar's famous composition, "Who Knows."

W. H. Ford, Manager of the Union Giants, Springfield, Ill., would like to hear from Green, shortstop, and Wilson, center fielder, of last year's Missouri Giants. Ford needs players. His address is 1122 Adams St., Springfield, Ill.

Dude Kelly is making a big hit in the character of "A Bartender" at 2333 Market St. where he and Davis have joined hands with Little Tom Tarpin. Everything there goes big but the "Blues."

Chas. A. Hunter and Artie, Matthews are writing and producing the shows for the Lindell Theater, at Grand and Hebert. Their play for next week is entitled "Lucky Oan: The Gambler's Man," a musical farce comedy written around their song by that name. A musical fantasy, "One Hour in Hell" is to follow.

FREE LECTURE
The lecture by Dr. Edgar J. Swift, of Washington University, before the Ellendale Civic League, at St. James Church, will take place Sunday afternoon, February 14th at 4 o'clock. The lecture is free and the public is invited to attend.

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MILLS' SPEED BOYS TO TRAIN IN NEW ORLEANS. NOTED PLAYERS SIGN

The St. Louis Giants will train in New Orleans; this much is decided. Manager Mills has closed contract for grounds and will take his boys to the sunny South to get them in condition. The St. Louis boys will open with the New Orleans Ball Club, champions of the South, on Easter Sunday, and will play a series of games lasting three weeks. Mr. Mills also hopes to arrange for games with Pensacola, Florida, Nashville and Memphis to be played before his team returns. Mills' greatest burden now seems to be in selecting a team of 16 players out of an abundance of talent, consisting of 65 players, which he has, before him. Chappie Johnson, who is wittering at French Lick, will coach the new pitchers, George Johnson and Eddie Douglas, outfielders of Ft. Worth, are two players who look good for this year's team.

Harry M. Dixon, one of the best southpaws in the game last year, with Chicago Giants, and Pete Booker, last year with the Phillies, are almost sure to make the club.

Then there is Leon Proctor, pitcher of Talladega College, and Samuel Simpson, pitcher of Wilberforce U., who are strong candidates for the mound.

Chester Smith, of Sumner High, has been appointed assistant manager. Robert Mims will be cashier and Ben Baltimore, chief ticket taker. Herbert T. Meadows will act as press agent. Other positions, will be assigned from a list of capable applicants.

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